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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Stephen Paul GREEN et al.

Appln. No.: 09/987,024

Group Art Unit: 3682

Filed: November 13, 2001

Examiner: B. Van Pelt

For: A STEERING COLUMN ASSEMBLY FOR A VEHICLE

PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time now set for response be extended, retroactively, by an additional two months (to a total of three months). The required Petition and fee for the first month extension were submitted on December 17, 2004. The required fee for the second and third months extension for a large entity is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-1165.

Respectfully submitted,

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